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Lupien Praises Lawrence Reform

Speaking before members of Andover Grange 183, Tuesday evening, in Grange Hall, Ulysses J. Lupien, civil service director of Massachusetts, paid tribute to the fearlessness of Daniel Murphy and William Killen, investigators in the exposition of Lawrence job-selling last year.

"The district attorneys in a number of localities are asleep," Mr. Lupien charged, adding that he had never known there were so many types of watchmen, orderlies, foremen, and even rat catchers until he was appointed to investigate civil service abuses throughout the state.

Asked what civic organizations could do to encourage further investigations and protect those seeking positions as firemen, policemen and school teachers, Mr. Lupien urged the endorsement of those public officials who had been responsible for fearless prosecution.

Mass Meeting For Aircraft Observers

The men highest in authority in the aircraft observation program in New England will speak at a general mass meeting of observers from this and neighboring towns next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Memorial Auditorium.

Speaking on the program will be Commander Richard Cunningham of the state department of the Legion; Dr. John H. Hall, civilian director of the Massachusetts aircraft warning service; Lieut. William Chipman, U.S.A., military director, and General Gordon Means, civilian director of the aircraft warning service of the First Corps Area.

Harold N. Wood, commander of the local post, will offer introductory remarks, and Arthur L. Coleman, civilian director of the ground observers sector, Essex county, will preside at the meeting. Following the speaking program will be an open question period for the observers in attendance, pictures of war activities will be shown.

Aircraft observers from the towns of Methuen, North Andover, Georgetown, Haverhill, Merrimac and Newburyport are expected to attend the mass meeting, and all those connected in any way with local defense activities are invited to be present.

Dr. Claude M. Fuess of Phillips Academy is attending a two-day session of the Headmaster's Association at Rye, N. Y., which is expected to deal especially with problems created by the war in private schools.

To Graduate 18 At Women's Defense School

Eighteen local women will receive their certificates at the graduation exercises of the Women's Defense School, evening group, to be held next Wednesday evening in the music room of Punchard High School. A representative of the defense corps headquarters in Boston is expected to officiate, and certificates will be awarded to the following:

Motor corps: Miss Dorothy Pierce, Miss Barbara Chamberlain, Mrs. Oswald Durkin, Miss Virginia Wise, Miss Doris Johnson, Miss Jane Lee, and Miss Nancy Locke.

Wardens: Mrs. John Caldwell, Miss Eve Fawthorpe, Mrs. Frank Crawford, Mrs. Vernon Walker, Miss Mildred Buck, Miss Margaret Mitchell, Mrs. Frank O'Brien, Mrs. Anna Harlow, Mrs. Walter Caswell, Mrs. Edward Douglas, Miss Grace Lake.

The motor corps held a convoy to Fort Devens Monday, in which five beach wagons took part. Volumes collected in the local victory book campaign were deposited at the camp library.

Nominations Filed By 25 Candidates

Nomination papers for 25 candidates for 13 elective positions to be filled at the March elections had been filed at the town clerk's office by the deadline last Thursday afternoon, as follows:

Moderator: Frederick Butler.

Town Clerk: George H. Winslow.

Selectman, three years, one to be elected: Roy E. Hardy, P. LeRoy Wilson.

Selectman, one year, one to be elected: Edward P. Hall, Stafford A. Lindsay, William J. Snyder, Lester M. Thompson.

School Committee, three years, three to be elected: Harold T. Houston, Mrs. Julie S. Musk, Arthur R. Lewis.

School Committee, two years: John M. MacKenzie.

Board of Public Works, two to be elected: Jesse Bottomley, George R. Cairns, Fred W. Doyle, Arthur E. Steinert.

Board of Health: Franklin H. Stacey.

Planning Board: Sidney P. White. Library Trustee, seven years: Nathan C. Hamblin.

Library Trustee, six years, one to be elected: Winsor Gale, Carl S. Gregg.

Tree Warden: George R. Abbott. Constables: George A. Dane, J. Lewis Smith, George N. Sparks.

Auto Rationing Starts Today

Two-Week Period For Obtaining Cars Already Purchased To Be Followed By Strict Rationing

Broadcast Today To Andover, England

Andover will be featured in a broadcast to Andover, England, at 5:00 today over WRUL, powerful international short-wave radio station in Boston. Previous broadcasts have been from Plymouth to Plymouth, England, and from Boston to its namesake town of Boston across the water.

The purpose of the broadcast series is to give encouragement to the English localities which have furnished New England with so many place names, to cement Anglo-American relations, and indirectly, to educate New Englanders to the gravity of the crisis today.

Roy E. Hardy, chairman of the Andover selectmen, and Judge Cornelius Mahoney, moderator of North Reading, will broadcast greetings to the lord mayor of Andover in the county of Hampshire. Shirley Stevens, an English refugee now residing in the home of Abbot Stevens of North Andover, and Roger H. V. C. Morgan, formerly of London and now a student at Phillips Academy, will take part in the broadcast. Abbot Stevens and Scott H. Paradise of the Academy faculty, who has made frequent trips to England, will also deliver addresses.

War Fund Campaign Has Raised \$9349

Stafford A. Lindsay, war fund chairman of the local Red Cross chapter, has announced that the sum of \$9349.35 has been raised so far on Andover's quota of \$10,000. Jesse Bottomley, resident manager of the Shawsheen mills, recently presented the chapter with \$900 from the American Woolen Company, together with \$370 from its employees.

Chairman Lindsay expresses himself as quite pleased with the progress to date, but urges all who have not yet contributed to the fund to do so at once, in order that it may be brought to a quick and successful conclusion.

Contributions may still be left at the Andover National Bank, or with Philip Ripley, treasurer, of Abbot street.

The first step in the rationing of new automobiles begins today and will cover a temporary period of two weeks, when full rationing will be put into effect, according to the announcement of J. Everett Collins, chairman of the local rationing board.

At the expiration of the two weeks, prospective purchasers of new cars must file applications proving their eligibility under approximately the same rules as for tire rationing. Ambulances, municipal vehicles, public transportation systems will receive first call on the few models to be distributed.

During the two-week period beginning today, however, all passenger cars will be released which were purchased but not delivered on or before January 1. Delivery will not be made, however, unless (1) the applicant proves that a motor vehicle registration was issued for the car in his name on or before January 1, or (2) he produces a sworn statement from the Registry of Motor Vehicles that an application for registration was filed in his name on or before January 1, or (3) he has a written contract or bill of sale for the auto, and a cancelled check or receipt for partial or full payment for it, or can prove that the car was in the dealer's hands or in transit to him as of January 1.

There will be no rationing of trucks at the present time. Since the local board will have no jurisdiction over the distribution of automobiles, applicants should file instead with John C. Whiting, chairman of the Essex County rationing board, at the city hall in Salem.

Town Warrant Articles

With only 45 articles filed by last Thursday's deadline for the annual town warrant, a short and relatively non-controversial town meeting seems in order for the town meeting on the evening of March 9. Last year's warrant, containing 67 articles, was dispatched in something less than four hours; this year's might reasonably be expected to take around two.

Perhaps the most striking of the articles submitted after last Thursday's deadline was one by James K. Sparks, asking that all town employees be put under civil service. The police department requests an appropriation of \$690 for the purchase of a cruising car, the present

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Loony Murder At Foster's Pond

Three men who were fishing through the ice down at Foster's Pond last Thursday night had an experience the like of which they won't have again for a long time. And in addition, they've all taken the pledge.

Just at dusk as they were gathering up their tackle, the cry of a woman, either drowning or being murdered, brought them to their feet in a hurry. They stood "frozen to the ice." Again came that mournful, moaning call, followed by a hysterical laugh. They pulled themselves together as best they could and started in the direction from whence the call for help came.

They tracked it down to Bill Davis's camp. Bill is a well-known Boston newspaperman, sportsman, legal resident in Andover who lives about eight months of the year with Mrs. Davis and son Dick, in their snug camp on the edge of the pond. On this particular occasion Mrs. Davis was away and son Dick is with the Marines with Bill Pomerooy, another Foster's Pond resident, at Parris Island, South Carolina.

In the camp with Bill was his friend of many years, Chief Needahbeh, who for the last fourteen years has been Master of Ceremonies at the Sportsmen's Show. For all the years Mr. Davis has lived on the pond, the Chief has made the Davis camp his headquarters. He is widely known in Andover, having lectured at most of the schools.

Well, to get back to the "murdered woman": the three fishermen approached the camp stealthily. Bill and the Chief could see them coming. They were peeking out a camp window. Finally one got up enough courage to come up on the porch and knock hard on the door.

Hospitable Bill opened the door, and the biggest of the three said gruffly:

"What's going on in here. Where's the woman?"

At that precise moment Chief Needahbeh, who had gone into the back room, donned his great feathered head-dress and stripped to the waist, with smudges of lipstick all over his face, and waving his famous, huge war club, rushed into the room letting out war-whoops, yells and brandishing his big stick.

Two of those guys got down on their knees right then and there, and the other jumped a space of ten feet clear, right through the screened-in porch. He hasn't been seen since.

Then and only then did the surviving member learn that the "murdered woman" was none other than the Chief, practising the loon call for which he has become famous. He opens and closes the Sportsmen's Show with that call at each performance.

(Willard H. Davis, managing editor of the Hotel and Restaurant News, swears it's all true. Chief Needahbeh is the same Indian mentioned in the Townsman two weeks ago who went canoeing on Foster's Pond in the middle of January.)

Fred Doyle has returned to his home on Chandler road from the Lawrence General hospital, and is steadily improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Wilkinson, 24 Canterbury street, attended a conference of the American Savings and Loan Institute held in Boston Saturday.

TELL-TALES PRINTED

The winter Tell-Tales of the Townsman are now ready for distribution, and may be picked up at the office at 4 Park street. They contain Andover-Boston time-tables of the Boston and Maine railroad, the Lawrence-Boston bus line, and the Andover fire alarm. The time-tables, by the way, are on Eastern War time, since the railroads have announced that they will observe the same time schedule as the general public.

Still Investigating Fire

Local and state fire officials are still investigating the disastrous fire which, last week, completely destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dennis of West Andover and cost the lives of their two children. Chief C. Edward Buchan and Lieut. Raymond G. Foley of the state fire marshal's office have made several visits to the scene of the fire, but have as yet come to no definite decision as to its cause.

Attending F. B. I. School

Sergeants W. Raymond Hickey and David L. Nicoll are attending, all this week, sessions of a school being conducted by officials of the Federal Bureau of Investigation for police officers from all over the state. The classes treat especially such wartime subjects as the handling of bombs and traffic congestion, problems of evacuation from the populous areas around Boston, emergency precautions in the event of damage to gas, water, electric or other public utilities. Convoys and all types of blackout problems are also included in the curriculum.

Sessions of the school are held every day at the Saunders Theatre of Harvard University, and last from 9 to 6 o'clock. Sgts. Hickey and Nicoll and Chief George A. Dane received diplomas from a previous police school held several months ago, but the new school is designed to deal with problems which have become increasingly important since the beginning of the war.

Local Red Cross Wants Blood Donors

At Pearl Harbor a lesson in medicine was learned which will never be forgotten. Two or three years ago, most of the 960 men seriously wounded during the Japanese attacks would have died. Sixty percent of their injuries were third degree burns.

Two things pulled them through: the large doses of the recently developed sulfa drugs which were on hand and the bank of precious blood plasma collected for the navy by the Red Cross. By nightfall of December 7th, two-thirds of this great bank had been used up, and the Red Cross had to call upon thousands of new donors. But most of those wounded boys are alive today and making normal recoveries.

In response to a plea from the Surgeons General of the Army and Navy, the American Red Cross has stepped up its program for the collection of hundreds of thousands additional donations of blood plasma. The goal is set as "enough

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New Draft Registration

Andover's third draft registration is to take place this week-end at the local town hall, which will be open from 9 to 5 o'clock on Sunday and from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. on Monday. All men between the ages of 20 and 44, inclusive, who have not registered before, are required to present themselves for listing.

A large number of local men have volunteered as registrars. Among them are Philip F. Ripley of Abbot street, and the following public school teachers: Milton Blanchard, Benjamin Dimlich, Joseph B. Doherty, Carl M. Gahan, Charles A. Gregory, James Hart, Anton Kishon, Emil Keller, Eugene V. Lovely, William McDonald, Edward C. Manning, Mervin E. Stevens, and Ralph S. Sturke.

Issued by the board this week were the following classifications:

II-A, deferred for civilian necessity, Wallace Rennie, Andover, 125, and Wilbur Francis Livingston, Andover, 346.

II-B, deferred as defense worker, Alfred A. Soucy, North Andover, 901.

III-A, deferred for dependency, Robert G. Keirstead, 735, Andover; Cyrille P. Lemieux, North Andover, 997; Charles Otis Rawding, Boxford, 2028; and Frank Joseph Pas, North Andover, 2090.

IV-C, undeclared alien, Walter M. J. Hasenclever, 387, Andover.

V. F. W. Comfort Kits

About 50 comfort kits, each containing a package of cigarettes, candy and chewing gum, are now being sent weekly to Andover boys in the armed forces by Andover Post 2128, Veterans of Foreign Wars. The total expense of the project is borne by the post treasury.

The post is willing to send its comfort kits to any soldier, provided a relative or friend supplies it with his full name, rank and address. A shipment is made every Friday to names in an already extensive list.

Letters of appreciation are already being sent to the post headquarters in generous numbers. From Maxwell Field, Ala., for instance: "Your 'good luck' package was greatly appreciated by me . . . It is a very encouraging thought to know that the old home town is with a fellow all the way in these times. If at any time I can be of any assistance to your organization, do not fail to call on me."

"Truly yours with many thanks,
Ben P. Batcheller."

Defense Council Meeting

Considerable progress in the field of food distribution, rescue and decontamination work was reported at the bi-weekly meeting of the local defense council Thursday night.

Andrew J. Crotty, chairman of the food committee, informed the meeting that there is now in Andover enough food to take care of any emergency. His committee's survey of the stores in every grocery and restaurant in town, as well as the dining halls of the two academies, indicates that supplies

of every sort seem to be ample. Harold Rafton, chairman of the gas and decontamination squad, pointed out that victims of gas attacks must receive emergency treatment by his squad even before other first aid is administered.

James J. Darby, chairman of the rescue squad, announced that he has enlisted the services of several local truckmen, and that a number of winches and block and tackle riggings are available for use by his department.

Clubs • • •

Historical Society To Hold Open House

The Andover Historical Society will present another lecture in its series on historic homes in this vicinity at its annual open house on the day preceding Washington's Birthday. At 8:15 that evening, Walter M. Whitehill, curator of the Peabody Museum in Salem, will describe the picturesque days in the early 19th century when that city was the most bustling of New England's seaports. His talk will especially emphasize the picturesque clipper ships which sailed from Salem to ports everywhere in the civilized world.

The open house itself will be held from 3 to 5 and from 7 to 9 o'clock, and will be open to the public.

Andover Service Club

Kenneth Chun, who was raised in the International Settlement at Shanghai, China, and is at present a student at Phillips Academy, will speak to the Service Club tonight on the subject, "Japan's Four-Year Attempt to Conquer China." Mr. Chun has been in this country for only the three years he has attended the Academy, and witnessed much of the bitter fighting at the beginning of the long-drawn out Jap-Chinese war.

November Club Notes

The Dramatic Department of the November Club will meet in the clubhouse tomorrow afternoon at 3:00.

The Art Department will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Bodwell, 31 Morton street, on Monday afternoon at 3:00.

The Literature Department will meet with Miss Julia Twitchell of Bartlet street next Wednesday afternoon at 3:00.

Andover Mothers' Club

Two beano parties are to be held during the coming month by the Andover Mothers' Club. The first will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Agnes Downs of South Main street. Serving on her committee are Mrs. Annie P. Davis, Mrs. Edna Albers and Mrs. Clara Stocks.

A second party will be held February 26 at the home of Mrs. Irene Cates, who will be assisted by Mrs. Annie Platt, Mrs. Margaret Cole and Mrs. Louise Simeone.

The refreshment committee for the March meeting includes Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Downs, and Mrs. Platt, and defense stamps will be sold there to the members. The endless chain was won this month by Mrs. Bertha Polley.

Andover League To Hold Open Meeting

Mrs. Horace Poynter will open her home at 6 School street for a meeting of members and friends of the League of Women Voters at 3 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon. Miss Catherine Barrett, principal of the central grade schools, and Ralph Sturke, chairman of social studies at the Junior high school,

will lead a discussion on "How Andover Is Teaching Its Children Democracy." Because of a conflict in dates, the League was unable to secure a representative of the Punchard history department for the meeting. Mrs. Stafford Lindsay will be in charge of refreshments.

The study group on taxation for February 18, to be led by Atty. Anna Greeley, has been postponed due to illness in the family.

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Annual Library Report

There was a net loss in circulation of 6.5 percent at the Memorial Hall Library last year, according to its annual report published this week by Miss Miriam Putnam, librarian. The loss is believed largely due to greater employment, relief and defense activities, radio listening and newspaper reading. The trend of the times is indicated in the fact that the loss was much greater in fiction than in the more serious books.

The circulation of technical books and magazines, on the other hand, greatly increased. The library, at present attempting to serve as a clearing house of information about local and national defense, is keeping a file of all opportunities for volunteer defense work in Andover.

Book deposits have been continued at the Abbott, Bailey and North districts, but were discontinued at Carter's Corner for lack of suitable housing. Several members of the staff assisted in reader guidance at the playgrounds last summer, at the high and junior high school libraries this winter, and among the members of local Americanization and citizenship classes.

The library at present has 37,788 books in its adult and junior departments, which are circulated among 3797 borrowers for a per capita circulation of 10.2.

BALLARDVALE

P. T. A. FOUNDERS DAY

Mrs. L. W. Quealy of Methuen, at the Ballardvale P. T. A. Founders Day celebration Friday evening, gave an interesting talk on the aims of the women who founded the organization 45 years ago. She also read several of the book reviews for which she is noted.

Miss Collins' room was awarded the attendance banner, and the mystery chain was won by Mrs. Howard Paulson. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Foster Matthews, Mrs. James Keating, Mrs. Jack Laurie, Sr., Mrs. Ralph Greenwood, Mrs. John Anderson, Mrs. Richard O'Brien, and Mrs. Audrey Bell.

Valentine Parties

The Girl Scouts held their valentine party Wednesday at the home of their leader, Mrs. Ernest Rollins, and the church service league of the Union Congregational Church at the home of Mrs. Lewis Mears. Wednesday evening, the Women's League for Christian Service held their party in the Methodist church vestry. Parties to come include one for the primary and beginners' grades of the Congregational church school Saturday from 2 to 4, and the community association party Saturday evening, featuring dancing and games. The Bradlee school will observe the day tomorrow.

4-H Garden Club

The objects of 4-H work were explained by Byron Colby, leader of its extension service, at a meeting attended by several Vale boys at the home of Rev. David Segerstrom Monday. The boys will work on various farm projects during the summer.

The men and boys of the Union Congregational church will attend a supper prepared by the pastor this evening, to be followed by a program of speaking and singing.

Members of the Friendly Guild planning to attend the A. P. C. party in North Andover Monday are asked to communicate with Mrs. Howard Paulson. Transportation from the post office will be provided at 7:15.

Classes under the direction of George Brown and Leslie Hadley are being held Tuesday and Thursday evenings for air raid precautions training.

Dr. Stanley B. Vandersall, editor of the Christian Endeavor World, will speak at the memorial service for Dr. William Shaw at the Union Congregational church Sunday at 3:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powers of River street are rejoicing over the birth of a son Monday at the Lawrence General Hospital.

Lenten services, with a guest speaker, will begin at 7:30 next Thursday in the Union Congregational church.

Members of Troop 76, Boy Scouts, are collecting paper, taking tests, and otherwise training for war emergencies.

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Editorial



Increases for All?

Before the annual town meeting is very many minutes old, it would be well to have the wage increase question settled. A few years back, there was talk of a wage restoration, and some departments were increased and some stayed the same, with much bickering on each individual item. It would save time if at the outset of the meeting, it was definitely decided whether there was to be or not to be an increase, and if so, how much.

The current agitation for a wage increase is based on the belief that there has been an increase in the cost of living. That much must be granted, for certainly the dollar a man gets today for wages will buy quite a bit less than his dollar did a year ago. But something else must also be granted, too, and that is that there's a war on, and we're going to have to sacrifice. It would be very nice if the young American who is battling for his life in Australia has, to console himself, only the happy thought that back home all his pals were getting increases.

Something else that must be kept in mind is that taxes are going to be very high, particularly federal taxes. Therefore, every effort has to be made to keep them down to a decent level. The taxpayer will have to sacrifice too, but he can't sacrifice more than he has.

B. P. W. Explains Wage Increase

The following statement in regard to the recent increase in B. P. W. wages was issued by the Board this morning:

In order that the citizens of Andover might be enlightened as to the recent advance of ten percent in wages granted by the Board of Public Works, we publish the following: We were faced with a demand last December for an increase in wages of twenty-five percent, and this Board made an investigation into the wages paid by surrounding cities and towns and found that the wages paid were more than this town was paying for similar work, and being desirous of retaining some of our workmen who had offers of higher wages in defense work, we decided to grant them an increase of ten percent, which they accepted for the time being. This Board does not feel that it is responsible for any unjust criticism, as the majority of our employees are receiving far less remuneration for their services than other departments of the town.

We would also like to state that the Board of Public Works has reduced its total budget every year for the past three years and is also endeavoring to reduce it again this year.

J. H. PLAYDON,
Secretary,

Board of Public Works,
Andover, Mass.

(Editor's Note: The main criticism in town today about the B. P. W. action was that it came without any town meeting approval, and

There is a feeling that now that the Board of Public Works has granted a ten percent increase throughout its staff, the other town employees should be given the same treatment. Fortunately, in most cases the boards decided to leave it up to the decision of the town meeting. Between now and March 9th the voters of Andover should make up their minds one way or the other after weighing all the facts and considerations.

Arguments will be offered to the effect that other towns are doing it, which should have some weight but not much, for other towns are refusing it too. The primary argument, however, will be that the cost of living has increased. If this is the only reason for the town employees' request for an increase, then it should be obvious that only some of the employees should be given a temporary increase. For the persons in the higher salary brackets still have enough to live on, even with higher living costs. On some such feeling as this, the state raised only those in the low pay brackets.

It's war, and while we don't want anybody to go without things they need, neither do we want other people to be getting more than they need. What we need most is victory, and that can't be gained if those who stay at home are trying to grab everything they can get.

since it involves a huge sum of money, most voters feel that the Board morally owed them the right to approve or disapprove. Incidentally, there would have been less criticism if when the Board took the action last December, it had then published some such statement as the above. The Board apparently felt it was doing its duty in endeavoring to retain its crew so that public service could continue efficiently, but most people feel that a crew which is practically sure of a job for the rest of their working days, followed by a pension, could wait two months until the people who pay the bill could say whether they could afford to pay it or not.

The efforts, successful ones, of the Board to reduce other expenditures are praiseworthy, and from time to time the Townsman has supported the efforts and also praised them.)

Communication

105 Chestnut street

To the Editor:

There are two citizens of Andover living within a block of each other on my street who are hoarding sugar. One admittedly has over three hundred pounds, and is constantly buying more than he needs in our town markets. The other, according to a member of his family, has bought so much that he is forced to keep the overflow from his attic storeroom in the the living quarters on the second floor.

Due to hoarding, the shortage of sugar is so acute in this nation that ships, ordinarily employed in the transportation of military goods, are being diverted to carry consumer goods.

TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE



Though there is at present no law against hoarding, truly it is a "criminal" offense.

There has been talk and considerable thought given to the subject of a law to forbid hoarding. Washington dispatches mentioned it only recently. Every citizen, whether he is hoarding or not, should realize that the only method of enforcing such a statute would manifest itself in a search, by an officer of the law, of private homes.

Are the laws of our community so restricted that the convenience and safety of a majority of the town's people must await protection from Washington? Or, is some town official willing to risk the unheard of initiative in this problem of general importance, to establish "commodity justice."

Very truly yours,
Sutton Monroe,
Ensign, U. S. N. R.

60 Elm street

To the Editor:

May I take the liberty of informing you that "Punchard road," referred to on Page 12 of your last issue, was what is now known as Whittier street? It was also known as "Z" street, starting at the Abbot Tavern, crossing Roger's Brook, thence along the Punchard grounds and out to Main street. Though I haven't time to check it, I doubt if Florence street existed in 1861.

Yours truly,

Bessie P. Goldsmith

(Ed. Note: The item referred to was contained in last week's "News of Old Andover," and stated that Andover's first sidewalk was laid in 1861, and ran from Elm Square along the south side of Elm street to the head of "Punchard road."

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Punchard Notes

Sally O'Riordan

The ushers for the Senior play tomorrow night are Elinor Innes, Norma Goff, Olga LaRosa, Eva Hagopian, Bertha Johnson, Helen Delaney, Grace Stewart, Mildred Fallon, Edna Koza, Barbara Carley, Virginia Kearns, Gladys Monroe, Doris Parsons, Muriel Fone, Anne Reading, Evelyn Porter, Everilda Collins, Barbara Greenwood is serving as assistant director.

The Punchard all girls' band were given a party by their director, Miss Miriam Sweeney, last Friday evening at the Log Cabin on Prospect Hill. Harold Phinney provided the music. The following girls and their escorts were present: Constance Swenson, Donald Haigh, Isabelle Deyermund, George I. Irwin, Natalie Lawson, Billy Dwyer, Gladys Deyermund, Kenneth Strong, Robert McDonald, Katherine O'Riordan, Jean Gilfoy, Burton Batchelder, Mildred Videto, Frederick Nowell, Evelyn Porter, Gus Connelly, Kathleen Valentine, Robert Sutton, Shirley Brown, Arnold Schofield, Marjorie Irwin, Russell McLeish, Ruth Maylum, Andy Lindsay, Patricia Arnold, Louis Anderson, Jacqueline Verrette, Roger Collins, Anne Reading, Edward Lindholm, Dorothy Coolidge, John Markey, Glenna Draper, Frank Foss, Rebecca Stevens, Roger Zeigler, Muriel Pullan, Richard McDonald.

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OWNSMAN, February 12, 1942

Junior High Notes

Miriam Dearborn

Miss Miriam Sweeney announced
last Thursday that Miss Shirley
Sawyer of the seventh grade was
the winner of a contest for the writ-
ing of a new school song. The
song, which will be learned by
every pupil, is sung to the tune of
"Dartmouth, Our Dartmouth," and
reads as follows:



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Andover Junior High, we sing to
you!

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Far, far away,
Your name will bring us home
Remind us of today—Andover
Our hearts will think of you
Loyal and true,
Andover Junior High, we sing to
you!

We would like to welcome back
to our school Miss Ida M. Grover,
who has been absent since last
February because of illness, and
Howard Hennigan and Carl Will-
goose, recently appointed to the
faculty. We also have three new
pupils, Hilda Dwyer of the ninth
grade, division 13; Warren Truell,
also in division 13; and Gloria Sut-
cliffe, who has entered the eighth
grade, division 10. William Eldred
of the ninth grade has returned
after a long illness.

John Hathaway of the ninth
grade is a patient at a Boston hos-
pital, and would be glad to hear
from his many friends. His address
is Robert Brigham hospital, West
Ward, Parker Hill avenue, Boston.

The Junior High is still active in
the war effort. Last week, \$79.20
worth of defense stamps were sold
for a total to date of \$498.65. About
59 books have been collected for
the soldiers, and 70 sweaters have
been knitted.

Ripley Bullen of the staff of the
Peabody Museum spoke and
showed colored slides of his trip
to the southwest last summer at
Thursday's assembly. Last Wednes-
day, Miss Frances Collins, girls'
gym instructor, showed a movie
about skiing, and awarded letters to
the following girls for earning
points:

First letter, (12 points), Alice
Chick, Isabelle Skea, Ruth Gregory,
Marjorie Miller, Barbara Monroe.

Second letter, (24 points), Doro-
thy Eccles, Mary Jane Hodges, Con-
nie Mauceri, Claudia Nichols.

Third letter, Crystal Cormey.

PERSONALS

Miss Helen Walsh, daughter of
Mrs. George D. Walsh of 28 Essex
street, is to direct and take the
leading role in a presentation of
"Little Women" at Rivier College
February 20.

The second term honor roll at
the Essex County Agricultural
School includes the names of Wil-
fred Robidoux, a senior; Donald
Hill, a junior; and Constance Orms-
by, a freshman, all of Andover.

Robert Bisset, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Duncan M. Bisset of North
Main street and co-captain of the
Tufts College football team, spoke
at Sharon recently on "The Value
of Sports in the College Curricu-
lum."

He has made an excellent scho-
lastic record during his three years
at Tufts, was a member of the
honorary Sword and Shield Society,
and is corresponding secretary of
the Zeta Psi fraternity.

Miss Barbara Harris of Sunset
Rock road was taken to the Law-
rence General Hospital last Tues-
day afternoon after a severe fall at
her home. X-rays were taken.

Again we are forced to change our Delivery Hours

As you probably know, retail grocery stores are not included
in the priority class to receive tires. Therefore, it will be im-
possible for us to receive new tires for our delivery trucks. It
is practically impossible for us to have tires retreaded for
various other priority and shortage reasons. However, with
care, we shall be able to operate our trucks for some time to
come, and shall continue to maintain deliveries of goods to your
home. But in order to insure this delivery service we must
limit deliveries to our customers, for the present, to two a day
—one in the morning and one in the afternoon. We may have
to limit these to one a day as our delivery equipment is reduced.
Concerns delivering to us have already done this. For example,
wholesale grocers will only deliver once a week, wholesale fruit,
vegetable and meat dealers will only deliver every other day,
milk dealers are only delivering every other day, and bakers
are also planning every other day deliveries.

Already in force—and there has been a splendid response of
co-operation by our customers—are the following delivery
hours:

All orders received up to 12 o'clock noon, will be de-
livered in the afternoon.

All orders received after 12 o'clock noon, will be de-
livered the following morning.

This plan will not work a hardship on anyone and it will help
us to keep our delivery truck going as long as our present tires
hold out.

Remember the severe storm last Saturday? Hundreds of
people were unable to go out to market. There are many stormy
days to come.

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Streamline Roast Beef—low price	lb. 39c
Fore Leg Soft Lamb	lb. 20c
Ribs of Lamb for Stew	lb. 10c
Stock Bones for Soup	3 lbs. 10c
Ham Shanks	lb. 20c
Tomato Sausage	lb. 39c
Leg and Loin Lamb	lb. 34c
Ham Loaf	lb. 39c
Thick Rib Corned Beef	lb. 36c
Large Fresh-dressed Fowl	lb. 36c

FRUIT DEPARTMENT

Florida Oranges	2c each
Florida Grapefruit	5c each
Andover Baldwin Apples	4 lbs. 25c
Parsnips 2 lbs. for 15c	White Turnip 2 lbs. 15c

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Chicken of the Sea Brand—Grated Tuna Meat	2 tins 55c
Campbell's Tomato Juice	12 cans 99c
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Flag Brand or B & M Corn—cream style	2 cans 29c
Pure Honey—from Andover	16 oz. bottles 29c
Temptees Tootsie Rolls—full pound	25c
Crosse & Blackwell Orange Marmalade—1 lb. jars	27c
Crosse & Blackwell India Relish—10 oz. jars	2 for 29c
Crosse & Blackwell Sweet Mixed Pickles—11 oz. jars	2 for 29c

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TOMORROW—Valentine Party By Legion Auxiliary

Several valuable door prizes and numerous other awards are to be given at a Valentine and whist party to be held in the Legion hall tomorrow evening under the sponsorship of the American Legion auxiliary. The party will be open to the public, and is to start at 8:00. Admission of 28 cents will be charged.

Mrs. George C. Napier is acting as general chairman.

TOMORROW—Senior Play At Punchard

This year's Senior play at Punchard, to be staged at the Memorial Auditorium tomorrow night, takes the form of a three-act comedy called "Incognito," as a fast-moving farce with many comic situa-

tions which take place aboard a luxurious ocean liner. The large cast has been rehearsing since the Christmas vacation, under the direction of Mervin E. Stevens of the faculty, so that the presentation should be one of the most successful ventures in many years. Tickets may still be obtained from any of the Seniors associated with the production or at the door.

FEBRUARY 13— "Alaskan Honeymoon"

Bradford Washburn, Alaskan explorer and director of the New England Museum of Fine Arts in Boston, is to deliver an illustrated lecture entitled "Alaskan Honeymoon" in George Washington Hall on February 13 at 8:15.

Altogether, Mr. Washburn has made ten expeditions to the great mountains of the Alaskan wilderness, and has won top awards for his exploratory work there. Married in 1940, he was accompanied by his wife on a lengthy tour of Alaska, making the first successful ascents of Mount Bertha and Mount Hayes. His experiences during this period, in which he traveled by airplane, boat and dogteam, are the subject of his current lecture, and it is supplemented by moving pic-

tures and colored slides, which should be of particular interest to skiers. Admission of 25 cents will be charged.

SATURDAY—Burns Concert To Benefit Service Men

A joint celebration of Valentine's Day and the birthday of Robert Burns takes place at the Memorial Auditorium Saturday evening, the entire proceeds of which will be devoted to war relief. Half the sum realized will go to the Red Cross, half will be used to start a fund for the benefit of local boys in the armed forces, to be administered by several clergymen of the town.

The evening will begin at 8:00 with a concert featuring Miss Susan Ripley, violinist; Henry Fairweather, comedian; Mrs. Dorothy Eccles, Miss Sadie Hamilton of Methuen, and J. Everett Collins, vocalists; the Clan MacPherson pipe band and the Andover Male Choir.

Following the concert, dancing will be enjoyed to the music of Hasting's Broadcasting orchestra. Tickets, priced at 55 cents, may be obtained from any member of the committee.

TUESDAY—Concert By John Brownlee

John Brownlee, for several years a leading baritone with the Metro-

politan Opera Company, is to give a concert at George Washington Hall next Tuesday evening at 8:15.

Brownlee is a native of Australia, and first studied music there under the guidance of Australian-born Madame Melba, queen of divas a generation ago. He later studied in Paris, and made his debut in Covent Garden Opera House in London. Since then, he has sung in every quarter of the globe and risen to a high place in his profession.

Tickets, priced at \$2.20, \$1.65, and \$1.10, may be obtained by mail or telephone from the Academy of fices.

FEBRUARY 20—Duke Ellington At Guard Dance

Plans are already well along for the first dance sponsored by the Enlisted Men's Club of Company D, the local outfit of the Massachusetts State Guard. Duke Ellington's 15-piece band has been engaged to supply the music, and the hall is expected to be elaborately decorated.

The orchestra has been featured in four full-length moving pictures, "Check and Double Check," "Murder at the Vanities," "Belle of the Nineties," and "The Hit Parade."

School To Meet Here February 23

The Northern New England school of Religious Education will hold a get-together on February 23 at the South Church. The meeting is expected to take on the nature both of a reunion and of an introduction to the work of the 27th annual session of the school at the University of New Hampshire this August.

The program will begin at 10 a. m. with morning worship led by Dr. Ruth Richards Miller of Stoneham, executive secretary of the school. Religious and educational leaders from all over New England will speak during the course of the day, including Rev. A. Graham Baldwin of Phillips Academy at the evening vesper service. Dinner will be served at the South Church, and supper at the Baptist church.

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1:54; 4:39; 7:50

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Mexican Spitfire's Baby

Frederic March, Loretta Young
Sun—3:14; 6:08; 9:02
Mon—3:04; 5:48; 9:00

Lupe Velez, Leon Errol
Sun—1:54; 4:48; 7:42
Mon—1:54; 4:38; 7:40

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—February 17-18-19

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DEATHS

Mrs. Elizabeth Poor (Lewis) Smith, 97, known as one of the oldest residing in Andover, died Saturday morning at the family home at 5 York street. In spite of her advanced age, she had maintained a lively interest in current topics up to the beginning of her fatal illness two weeks ago. She had resided here for more than 60 years, and possessed a vivid memory of happenings in Andover dating back to the Civil War.

Surviving her are a son, J. Lewis Smith; and two granddaughters, Mercedes Byers Smith and Elizabeth Smith, all of Shawsheen.

Funeral services were conducted from the family home Tuesday afternoon, and interment was in the family lot in West Parish cemetery.

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A resident of this vicinity for the past 64 years, **Mrs. Ellen (Regan) Donovan**, 80, died at her home at 56 Bartlet street Monday morning, following a brief illness. She was a native of Ireland.

Surviving her are three daughters, Mary R. Donovan and Mrs. William Barrett of this town, and Mrs. Arthur Svenson of Rutherford, N. J.; a son, Francis M. Donovan; eight grandchildren and a nephew.

The funeral was held from the M. A. Burke funeral home yesterday morning with a solemn high mass of requiem at 9:30 at St. Augustine's church. Very Rev. Thomas B. Austin, O.S.A., was celebrant; Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O.S.A., deacon; and Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., sub-deacon. Louis Scanlon was soloist, while Miss Mary F. Lanigan, church organist, was at the console.

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Augustine J. Horman, for many years a resident on Lowell street, died in Collinsville, February 2, after a lingering illness. He was a salesman by profession, and was the husband of the late Carolyn Spickler Horman. Burial took place last Thursday morning in West Parish cemetery.

A TRIBUTE

Mrs. Elizabeth Poor Smith

Mrs. Elizabeth Poor Smith, widow of the late James B. Smith, who passed away last Saturday morning, was a woman of great nobility of character. She was in her 97th year, which made her the oldest alumnae of Abbot Academy. She was a charter member of the November Club, and for many years an active member of the Art Department, in which she always maintained her interest, as she did also in Abbot Academy. She represented in a very real sense all that was finest in New England culture. A woman of rare mental and spiritual attainments, she was not spoiled by prosperity nor cast down by adversity. She was a great inspiration to the young men and women whom she entertained in the years of her prime, in the hospitable home on Main street.

Throughout her life, she was interested in all good works, a great student, and almost to the last week of her life in touch with current affairs. In very truth, in the words of St. Paul, she might have said, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."

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Blood Donors

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plasma to supply the army and navy and civilian needs as well." Greatly increased supplies have already been delivered to navy and army posts in Iceland and other Atlantic bases, the Philippines, and throughout the far eastern war area.

To meet the increased demands the Blood Donor Center of the Boston Metropolitan Chapter, located at 691 Boylston street, is appealing to the citizens of Andover to make a contribution of a pint of their blood to save the life of a wounded soldier or sailor who may be thousands of miles from where they live. This appeal gives every able-bodied citizen of Andover a chance to help our boys in the camps and on the sea, according to Charles C. Kimball, chairman of the Andover Red Cross Chapter.

WEDDINGS

Barlow-Howard

Miss Nellie L. Howard of 21 Enmore street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Howard, became the bride of J. Russell Barlow of 9 York street, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Barlow, at a ceremony performed last Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's cathedral, Boston. Rt. Rev. Raymond G. Heron, Episcopal bishop of Massachusetts, officiated.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Lear Elliot Clark, Lowell street, and Amelia Hamilton, Lowell street.

Robert L. Trott, 85 Central street, and Helen D. Addison, Chandler road.

Raymond Auirault, 265 Haven street, Reading, and Marion D. Albers, Watson avenue, Andover.

Real Estate Transfers

The three-room apartment in the Aberdeen Apartments, owned by Augustus J. Remington, has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. Moor.

The eight-room house on Porter road, owned by Mrs. Burchard E. Horne, has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. Slick.

The four-room apartment at 32 York street, owned by Henson Brown, has been rented to Frederick White.

The five-room bungalow at 6 High Plain road, owned and built by Samuel J. and Agnes Durso of Lawrence, has been sold to Arthur G. and Violette E. Schwarzenberg, who have already moved in and intend to make it their permanent home.

The five-room Cape Cod cottage owned by George B. and Dorothy P. Horne on Sunset Rock road, has been sold to Henson H. and Marjory Brown.

The five-room bungalow on Sunset Rock road, owned by Mrs. Mary W. Kelley, has been sold to Mrs. Kate Collins of North Andover.

The new five-room Cape Cod cottage on Elm street, owned and built by Ruth D. Berthel of Lawrence, has been sold to Edward M. and Irene Saliba.

The new six-room Cape Cod bungalow on Apple Tree lane, owned and built by Ruth E. Dunn, has been sold to Mrs. Shirley C. Webster.

The six-room cottage at 61 Pine street, owned by Elizabeth V. Guthrie, has been sold to James P. and Helen F. Scobie, who intend to make it their permanent home.

The four-room bungalow recently remodelled at 25 Bartlet street, owned by Frederick E. and Hazel L. Griffin, has been rented to Charles D. Gordon.

All arrangements and sales were made through the W. Shirley Barnard real estate and insurance agency.

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Andover Church Activities

West Church

Friday, 4:00, Girl Scouts in vestry; 7:00, Boy Scouts; 8:15, Junior Women's Union meets in vestry for address on first aid by Dr. William G. Thompson.

Saturday, 4:00, Junior choir Valentine party in vestry.

Sunday, 9:45, Junior choir rehearsal; 10:30, church school; 10:30, worship service and sermon; 12:00, Senior choir rehearsal; 5:00, Young People's Fellowship at parsonage.

Wednesday, 7:30, Men's Brotherhood meeting in vestry.

Baptist Church

Tonight, 7:30, third session of preaching mission on general topic, "What Is God Doing in the World Crisis," with worship service conducted by Rev. Dr. L. I. Hansen, and sermon, "Is God at Work?" by Rev. Victor F. Scalise, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, Lowell.

Tomorrow, 7:30, last session of mission, with sermon by pastor, "Has God a Plan."

Saturday afternoon, Valentine party for primary department of church school; 6:00, supper meeting for teachers and officers of church school.

Sunday, 9:30, worship gathering of church school; 10:00, Men's Forum; 10:45, morning worship, with sermon, "What Christ Expects of a Christian," followed by brief meeting of visitation committee; 6:30, Young People's hour, with address by Miss Norma Goff, of the Baptist School of Methods, Oceans Point, Maine.

St. Augustine's

Tomorrow, 7:30, Boy Scouts meet in school hall; 7:45, evening devotions in honor of St. Nicholas and St. Therese.

Saturday, confessions afternoon and evening.

Sunday, Communion day for Children of Mary and Blessed Virgin sodalities. Masses at 8:30, 8:30, followed by Sunday school; 9:45, 11:30, 2:00, Children of Mary meeting in school hall.

Wednesday, 7:30, devotions at Ballardvale; 7:45, devotions at Andover, with rosary, sermon and benediction. Daily masses through Lent at 8:00.

Friday, 3:30 and 7:45, Stations of the Cross, followed by benediction.

North Parish Church

Today, 2:30, Alliance meeting addressed by Miss Fannie F. Davis.

Tomorrow, 7:00, community service program.

Sunday, 9:30, church school; 10:30, morning service, with sermon by pastor, "The Blessings of Heaven, Above and the Earth Beneath"; 7:00, Y. P. R. U. meeting in vestry.

Monday, 7:00, Italian class.

Tuesday, 1:00, sewing for Red Cross.

Wednesday, 3:00, Junior choir; 6:30, Senior choir; 7:00, branch service at Stevens Library; 8:00, discussion group.

Union Congregational

Today, 6:30, men's supper and meeting.

Tomorrow, 6:30, choir rehearsal.

Saturday, 2:00, Valentine party, church school.

Sunday, 9:30, church school; 10:45, morning worship and sermon; 3:30, memorial service for Dr. William Shaw.

Monday, 7:15, Friendly Guild party.

Thursday, 7:30, Lenten service.

Methodist Church

Today, 7:30, mid-week service.

Tomorrow, 6:30, choir rehearsal.

Sunday, 10:30 morning worship and sermon; 11:40, church school; 5:00, Junior League; 6:30, Epworth League.

Free Church

Sunday, 9:30, Sunday school; 10:45, kindergarten class; 10:45, morning worship with sermon on "Is There Justice?"; 12:00, Margaret Slattery class; 12:00, meeting of trustees and standing committee; 6:30, Christian Endeavor.

Monday, 7:30, first aid class.

Tuesday, 10:00, Helping Hand sewing in church; 6:30, Girl Scouts.

Wednesday, 6:30, Cubs meet in the homes; 8:00, Young Married Group at home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fraser.

Thursday, 12:00-1:30, business men's luncheon by Woman's Alliance; 4:00, Junior choir; 7:30, Senior choir.

Friday, 7:00, Boy Scouts; 7:00, Girl Scout dance.

South Church

Sunday, 9:30, church school and the little church; 10:45, morning worship and sermon; 10:45, church kindergarten.

Tuesday, 7:30, prudential committee.

Thursday, 10:00, all-day sewing meeting of Women's Union; 3:45, choir of the little church; 7:00, church choir; 8:00, missionary meeting of Women's Union, addressed by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rinden.

Friday, 7:00, Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

Christ Church

Sunday, Holy Communion, with corporate communion by delegates to New England Conference of College Girls; 9:30, church school; 11:00, morning prayer (shortened form) and ante communion.

Tuesday, 6:30, supper and meeting of Women's Auxiliary, addressed by Miss Catherine R. Briggs, chairman of Indian missions. There will be an exhibition of work done by the auxiliary since fall.

South Church Clubs To Hear Missionary

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Rinden of the Foochow mission of the American Board, as guests of the South Parish, will address a meeting sponsored by the Women's Union in the vestry next Thursday evening at 8:00. The Alpha Phi Chi Sorority, the Men's Club and the King's Daughters are planning to attend.

Mr. Rinden holds a degree in visual education from Yale, and has made a significant contribution to the Chinese school system. Both he and Mrs. Rinden have shared in the highly exciting story of southeastern China during the past five years of war.

NUMBER PLEASE

We had occasion to call up the Burke Funeral Home one day this week, and looked up the number in the telephone directory. The number was "2," no more, no less. Deciding to do a little investigating, we called up Edwin L. Bramley, manager of the Greater Lawrence exchanges, to see who had the other low numbers, and how they are assigned.

Some of the low numbers, he told us, have been assigned to their present owners for many years; the number assigned to Mr. Burke, of course, doesn't mean that he was the second person to install a telephone in Andover, but only that it happened to be assigned him when the previous owner discontinued his telephone service.

The telephone company doesn't show any favoritism when the low numbers are assigned; an official called the "facilities assigner" gives whatever numbers happen to be available to new subscribers to the service. In some cases, the possessor of a low number, on discontinuing his service, tells a friend about it, and, such numbers being as highly prized as low automobile registrations, the friend generally puts in a request that the number be assigned to him. The numbers, 1 and 4, for some reason, are not used, but the other numbers, from 2 to 10 are: 2, M. A. Burke Funeral home; 3, residence of Walter E. Billings; 5, the Andover post office; 6, residence of Samuel Resnik; 7, local pumping station on Lowell street; 8, residence of M. Lawrence Shields; 9, pumping station on Bancroft road; 10, residence of Mrs. Charles E. Abbott.



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WEST PARISH

Junior Women's Union

Dr. William G. Thompson will lecture on first aid before the Junior Woman's Union tomorrow evening at 8:00. The hostesses will be Mrs. Ejner Bloomquist, Mrs. Austin Woolley and Mrs. Alfred Kneath.

Shower For Miss Addison

Mrs. Walter H. Partridge entertained at her home Saturday evening in honor of Miss Helen Addison, to be married Saturday to Robert Trott. The guest of honor received a number of gifts, and refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. John Powell, Mrs. David Petrie, Mrs. James Fraser, Mrs. G. S. B. Trott, Misses Anne and Helen Beer, Doris Gibson, Peggy Addison, Mrs. Norman Fraser, Mrs. John Gorrie, Lorraine Kinsman, Olive Butler, Ruth Hardy, Mrs. Lillian Rhodes, Mrs. Charles Currier, Mrs. Leonard Perkins, Mrs. Howard Trott, Mrs. Granville Cutler, Miss Helen Addison.

Birthday Party

Miss Shirley Hardy of Haggetts Pond road celebrated her 16th birthday recently by a theater party. Refreshments were served at the home by Mrs. Hardy. Attending were Shirley Hardy, Marjorie and Virginia Kearns, Barbara Boutwell, Eleanor Demers, Wilfred Lamontagne, Chester Whitney, Charles Sargent, Richard Drake.

Grange Hears Lupien

Ulysses J. Lupien, commissioner of civil service in Massachusetts, addressed the members of Andover Grange 183 during the lecturer's hour of their meeting Tuesday night. He spoke interestingly of the duties and problems of his office.

Personals

Mrs. C. F. Millett and children have returned to their home in Bridgeton, Maine, after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Charles Thomes of Bailey road.

Miss Evelyn Dow has returned to her home on Beacon street after several days in New York.

Miss Helen Corliss of High Plain road is enjoying a month's vacation, part of which she plans to spend with relatives in Richford, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sjostrom of Lowell street are enjoying a month's trip through the South.

Abbot Academy Notes

Patrick Morgan talked to the students yesterday afternoon at a tea held in the John Esther Gallery, where a number of his works are on exhibit. The exhibition may be visited by the public daily during morning and afternoon hours until February 24th.

The Senior Middle Class will present on Saturday night at 8 o'clock, three one-act plays in honor of the Senior Class. Helen Barss of Andover, and Sylvia Hall of North Andover, will take part in the evening's entertainment. Mrs. Bertha Morgan Gray has staged and directed the plays, and special music will be presented by Miss Friskin.

The Reverend Roy L. Minich of the First Church in Malden, will be the vesper speaker Sunday evening at 7:30.



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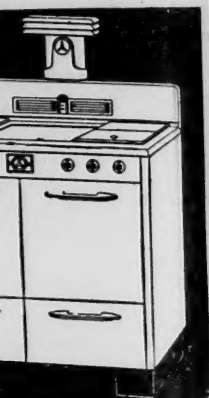
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Town Warrant

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1939 sedan to be turned in. The tree department is applying for \$375 for the purchase of a power winch.

Other articles filed last Thursday deal with the appropriation of \$5000 from taxation and \$1200 from the road machinery fund as part payment on a new steam roller, of \$550 to purchase a pipe drilling machine, and of \$400 for a material spreader, all by the Board of Public Works. The board is cutting in half, this year, the 1941 appropriation for Federal and town welfare labor, but asks \$500 for the repair of baseball and football bleachers at the central playstead.

The sum of \$1300 is asked as part of the cost of installing protection appliances at the entrance to St. Augustine's cemetery, the rest to be borne by the Boston & Maine railroad and St. Augustine's parish. Water main extensions are asked from the corner of River road and Brundrett avenue along Brundrett avenues to the properties of Jacob Shlakis and Henry Robidoux; and for Hidden and Sunset Rock roads and Vine street.

News Of Old Andover

50 YEARS AGO. The Free Church was to hear a most novel form of entertainment, consisting in the playing of phonograph records... The snow storm of the day before, true to tradition, had been "one of the regular old timers." For some reason, the weather is never as severe as it used to be... The few valentines sold in Andover were mostly of the comic variety... Phillips Brooks was to administer Communion at the Christ Church... Cardinal Manning had just died in England... The Punchard scholars realized \$100 from their three-day fair... It was proposed that money available from the Benjamin Punchard fund be used to build a badly-needed schoolhouse in Abbott Village. A temperance club was organized at Ballardvale's Union church... James G. Blaine denied that he was planning to resign from the cabinet... George Wilson's colossal minstrel show was at the Lawrence opera house.

25 YEARS AGO. Punchard's new 400-pupil high school building was coming along nicely. The committee planned it as "an efficient educational workshop without frills," which it has certainly proved to be... The OddFellows were to present "A Poor Married Man"... Lawrence W. Colby planned to store his Maxwell cars in a Park street building... Game Warden Walter A. Larkin reported local pheasant flocks in fine fettle, despite the severe weather, while the Free Church's Dorcas Circle took advantage of the snow to hold a sleigh ride to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould in Scotland District... Sir Herbert Ames, M.P., was to lecture on the British Navy... Because of the war, a pair of horses which used to be hired out at \$4.50 a day, now cost \$7.00... The U. S. Senate, 78-5, approved Woodrow Wilson's severance of relations with Germany.

10 YEARS AGO. James Gillespie, Harriet Sellars and Scott Walker won prizes in an essay contest

honoring the George Washington bicentennial... Amos Loomer became president of the Ballardvale Village Improvement Society... The celebrated Maurice Hindus was to lecture at Phillips... The Thimble Club celebrated its first anniversary with a Valentine party and supper... You could see "Secret Service," with Richard Dix, at the Colonial... Jig-saw puzzles were all the rage... The first of a series of Sunday evening church services was held in Shawsheen... B. M. Baumgardt was to lecture on the coming total eclipse... Four local men were injured in a crash on the "new" Bypass... It wasn't too unusual to have Louis Armstrong and the Casa Loma Orchestra play here on the same program.

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TENDERED SHOWER

Mrs. Andrew Tibbetts of Melrose, formerly Miss Doris Livingston of this town, was hostess at a pre-nuptial shower last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Rita Muise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Muise of Park street, who is to be married Saturday to John B. K. Keith of Cassimere street. The house was decorated in pink and white, and a buffet supper was served.

Gilbert C. Grout of William Hall was one of two students to win first prize for a snow sculpture exhibit at Hamilton College's winter carnival.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Fannie L. Shepard (wife of William E. Shepard), late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Charles A. Murphy of Andover, in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of March, 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
825 Bay State Bldg.,
Lawrence, Mass.

(12-19-26)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Frank B. Richardson, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Woburn National Bank of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, praying that it be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on its bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of March 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a public hearing on Tuesday evening, February 24th, 1942, at 7 P. M., at the Town Hall, on the petition of Thomas B. Austin, O.S.A., and others, for the approval of a plat dated February, 1942, for the purpose of opening for public use a private way as shown thereon.

BOARD OF SURVEY,
By Walter M. Lamont, Chairman
(Feb. 12-19)



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a public hearing on Monday evening, February 16th, 1942, at 7:00 p. m., at the Town Hall, on the petition of Noyes-Whittier Corporation for the approval of a plan dated January, 1942, for the purpose of opening for public use private ways shown thereon as Castle Heights Road and Joyce Terrace.

BOARD OF SURVEY,
By Walter M. Lamont, Chairman
(F 5-12)

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John H. Proctor and Evangeline B. Proctor, husband and wife, of Ashuelot, Cheshire County, New Hampshire, in the right of the said Evangeline B. Proctor, to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation duly established by the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and located at Andover, in the County of Essex, in said Commonwealth, dated April 11, 1938, recorded with the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, book 614, page 197, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction at two o'clock on Monday afternoon, the second day of March, 1942, on the mortgaged premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land with all the buildings thereon sit-

uated in said Andover, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Whittier Street at the southeasterly corner of land now or formerly of Myra J. Harding, thence southerly by said Whittier Street eighty-nine feet more or less to Chestnut Street; thence westerly by said Chestnut Street seventy-two and 5-10 feet more or less to land now or formerly of one Frost; thence northerly by land of said Frost eighty-nine feet more or less to land now or formerly of said Harding; and thence easterly by land now or formerly of said Harding eighty-eight feet more or less to said Whittier Street at the point of beginning; and being part of the premises conveyed to the said Evangeline B. Proctor by Arthur W. Smith et al., by deed dated July 27, 1920, recorded in said registry of deeds, book 428, page 487.

Terms of sale: A deposit of five hundred dollars to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK,

By Louis S. Finger, treasurer,
Present holder of said mortgage.
Rowell, Clay & Tomlinson, Attys.,
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(Feb. 5, 12-19)

Andover National Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover National Bank have been lost and applications have been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 6520.

CHESTER W. HOLLAND, Cashier

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Charles R. Hoffman, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Gertrude D. Hoffman of Andover, in said County, be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of February, 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(Jan 29-5-12)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of William Shaw, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of certain instruments purporting to be the last will and two codicils of said deceased by Maude Chamberlain Shaw of Andover, in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of March 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(12-19-26)

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts LAND COURT

To Trustees of Phillips Academy, Mary Jackson, Mary Walker, Susan R. Carter, Harriett E. Wright and Harriett C. Sparks, of Andover, and Grace Crocker, Charlotte Crocker and James A. Crocker, of Nahant, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; Holland Furnace Company, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Morton Real Estate Trust, of said Boston; Daisy L. Litchfield, of Winthrop, in said County of Suffolk; Marion C. Towne, of Glen Falls, Evelyn C. Soderberg, of Great Neck, and Irma A. Cameron, of Schenectady, in the State of New York; William H. Carter, Jr., of Chicago, in the State of Illinois; Florence L. Moses, of Madison, in the State of Wisconsin; Francis B. Crocker, of Togus, in the State of Maine; John W. Crocker, of New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Harriett C. Sparks, of said Andover, to confirm her title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings, thereon, situate in said Andover, bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Main Street 83.16 feet; Southeasterly by land now or formerly of the Trustees of Phillips Academy 80.65 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Mary Jackson 85.78 feet; and Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Mary Walker and said Trustees of Phillips Academy 78.04 feet.

The above-described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lawrence, in the County of Essex, where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the twenty-fourth day of February next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, John E. Fenton, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January in the year nineteen hundred and forty-two.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

(Seal)

CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH,

Recorder

Eaton, Chandler & Sherman, Attys.,
Bay State Bldg., Lawrence, Mass.,
For the Petitioner.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Arthur Willis Leonard, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Mary Estelle Leonard of Andover, in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of February, 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register

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Trustees of Phillips Academy, Mary Mary Walker, Susan R. Carter, E. Wright and Harriett C. Sparks, et al., and Grace Crocker, Charlotte and James A. Crocker, of Nahant, County of Essex and said Commonwealth Fumace Company, a duly incorporated having an usual place in Boston, in the County of said said Commonwealth; Morton Trust, of said Boston; Daisy Field, of Winthrop, in said County; Marion C. Towne, of Glen Elderly C. Soderberg, of Great Neck, A. Cameron, of Schenectady, in of New York; William H. Carter, Chicago, in the State of Illinois; L. Moses, of Madison, in the State of Maine; Francis B. Crocker, of the State of Maine; John W. of New Orleans, in the State of ; and to all whom it may concern: as, a petition has been presented Court by Harriett C. Sparks, of over, to confirm her title in the described land:

ain parcel of land with the build- reon, situate in said Andover, and described as follows: easterly by Main Street 83.16 feet; erly by land now or formerly of stees of Phillips Academy 80.65 thwesterly by land now or for- Mary Jackson 85.78 feet; and terly by land now or formerly of lker and said Trustees of Phillips 78.04 feet.

bove-described land is shown on iled with said petition, and all lines are claimed to be located on d as shown on said plan.

a desire to make any objection or o said petition you or your at- ust file a written appearance and r under oath, setting forth clearly ically your objections or defense art of said petition, in the office eorder of said Court in Boston ourt House), or in the office of ant Recorder of said Court at the of Deeds at Lawrence, in the f Essex, where a copy of the plan said petition is deposited, on or e twenty-fourth day of February

s an appearance is so filed by or your default will be recorded, the ion will be taken as confessed and e forever barred from contesting ion or any decree entered thereon. ss, John E. Fenton, Esquire, Judge ourt, this twenty-eighth day of in the year nineteen hundred and

with Seal of said Court.

CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH, Recorder

andler & Sherman, Attys., e Bldg., Lawrence, Mass., Petitioner.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

persons interested in the estate of Willis Leonard, late of Andover, County, deceased.

tion has been presented to said r probate of a certain instrument g to be the last will of said de- y Mary Estelle Leonard of An- n said County, praying that she ted executrix thereof without giv- ty on her bond.

desire to object thereto you or rney should file a written appear- said Court at Salem before ten a the forenoon on the sixteenth day, 1942, the return day of this

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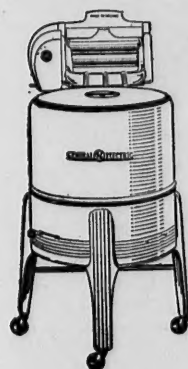
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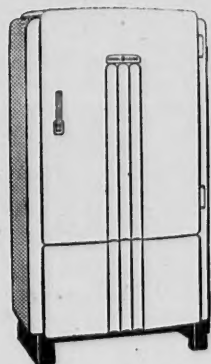
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plains the Japanese determination
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most likely to benefit the Japanese
people alone, and shows the rea-
soning and plans of their leaders
in relation to the future of the
world, and especially the United
States.

**Japan Over Asia—William Henry
Chamberlain.** A splendid analysis
of the Far Eastern peril, with an
outline of Japan's plan for the
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Volcanic Isle—Wilfred Fleischer.
An inside story on the Japanese
situation by a man who inherited
his father's newspaper, The Japan
Advertiser, and who later became
a correspondent for the Herald-
Tribune.

**The Fight for the Pacific—Mark
Gayn.** Last spring the author pre-
dicted that the Pacific showdown
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up to the present situation.

**The Armed Forces of the Pacific
—W. D. Puleston.** An excellent
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paredness of the Japanese.

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etrating study of the Japanese as a
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Our Future in Asia—R. A. Smith.
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able analysis of America's foreign
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**Hawaii, Restless Rampart—Jo-
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1931-1940—Institute of Pacific Re-
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For several years, you'll recall, the Railroads haven't been enjoying especially good times. The Boston and Maine wasn't many jumps ahead of the sheriff when a lot of our bondholders in New England and elsewhere rallied around and helped us reorganize our financial structure. This made it possible for us to have our property in good shape when the war came along.

4,000 More Boys and Gals at Work

It's plain to see that today our first job is moving guns and tanks and ammunition and fighting men. The Railroads of this country right now are building 1,000 more locomotives and 125,000 more freight cars. These cost something. Then, too, it's costing us 25% more today than three years ago just to keep passenger cars in safe running condition.

Another thing is that we have about 4,000 more employees than we did three years ago. We need them to handle the increased business and to give you good service. Our total number of employees right now is 15,491.

"AND ME WITH NO TIRES
AND A CAR THAT'S DYING
FAST!—HOW COME?"



We pay 13% More—or Else

Late last year the proper public authorities decreed that Railroad wages should be increased. This increase had to be paid—or else.

Our bill for increased wages alone this year will be upwards of \$3,600,000. Our probable revenue increase from the 10% in passenger fares will be about \$800,000. We must get an increase in freight rates to help make up the difference. Incidentally, our total bill for wages in 1941 was \$26,009,776.54.

Not a Scheme to Smack You Down

This fare increase, by the way, wasn't thought up after Pearl Harbor or after we

found out that tires and automobiles were going to become scarcer and scarcer. When the Railroads petitioned for this increase in fare we knew (regardless of the most optimistic viewpoint as to increases in business) we just couldn't continue to operate on the old basis.

A Railroad has no mysterious way of getting money. It's just like any other business or for that matter just like your personal household. You can't spend more than you take in (and stay out of court or away from bankruptcy.)

So Here Is the Answer to "How Come?"

Your tire shortage, therefore, had nothing to do with the reasons for this increase and we feel very sure that our good friends and customers will realize this after they know the facts. Our "household" expenses have been and are increasing, the same as yours.

So you see we didn't jack up the fares just because we are "a bunch of bandits." We jacked them up because we had to do something to be able to pay increased wages and to pay increased expenses if we wanted to keep the Railroad running. At this time of all times in our country's history, THE RAILROADS MUST NOT FAIL.

Perhaps this is "A H--l of a Way to Run a Railroad" —

**BUT—the Railroad HAS to run
BOSTON and MAINE**

